The Honorable Kymberly K. Evanson 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON 8 AHP CAPITAL MANAGEMENT LLC, an Ohio 9 limited liability company, as Administrator of NO. 2:25-cv-00007-KKE American Homeowner Preservation Trust Series 10 2015A+ and American Homeowner Preservation Trust Series AHP Servicing, DEFENDANTS' UNOPPOSED MOTION 11 EXTENDING ALL CASE DEADLINES Plaintiff, 12 v. 13 OAK HARBOR CAPITAL, LLC, a Delaware 14 limited liability company; LAND HOME FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC., a California 15 Corporation; ATLANTICA, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company; MAGERICK, LLC, a 16 Delaware limited liability company; WILLIAM WEINSTEIN, an individual; WWR 17 MANAGEMENT, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company; WESTERN ALLIANCE 18 BANK, an Arizona Corporation; BANNER BANK, a Washington Bank Corporation; 19 BRADLEY WAITE, an individual; and DOES 1-50, inclusive, 20 Defendants. 21 22 Defendants request an order extending all case deadlines, including the current 23 September 16, 2025, deadline for Defendants to answer or otherwise respond to the Amended 24 Complaint. All of Plaintiff's counsel have filed a motion seeking permission to withdraw (Dkt. 25 113). That motion is noted for hearing on September 8, 2025. Under LCR 83.2(b)(4), a business 26 entity "must be represented by counsel," and "[f]ailure to obtain a replacement attorney by the DEFENDANTS' UNOPPOSED MOTION EXTENDING ALL CASE

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date the withdrawal is effective may result in the dismissal of the business entity's claims for failure to prosecute." Because Plaintiff's current counsel has moved to withdraw, and all three law firms of record for Plaintiff seek to terminate their representation, whether or not this case will be proceeding is uncertain at this time.

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Defendants should not be required to expend the time or incur the significant expense associated with renewing their prior motions to dismiss, or complying with other case schedule events, when the pending withdrawal of counsel makes it unknown and uncertain regarding whether replacement counsel will be appearing and whether this case will be proceeding.

While Plaintiff does not join in this motion, Plaintiff has indicated that it will not oppose it, and a copy of this motion was provided to Plaintiff's counsel before it was filed.

Accordingly, Defendants request the following relief:

- The deadline for Defendants to answer or otherwise respond to the Amended
 Complaint should be extended. Defendants should not have to answer or
 otherwise respond to the Amended Complaint at this time. If withdrawal is
 allowed and replacement counsel subsequently appears, the deadline should be 30
 days after the appearance of replacement counsel.
- 2. All other case deadlines should be stayed until further court order. If Plaintiff's counsel is allowed to withdraw and replacement counsel appears, the case deadlines should be revisited at that time.

This extension will facilitate orderly case management, avoid prejudice and potential unnecessary expense and inconvenience to Defendants resulting from the pending withdrawal motion, and fairly address the uncertainty that exists arising from the potential withdrawal of Plaintiff's counsel.

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ORDER

- 1. The Court GRANTS Defendants' unopposed motion. Dkt. No. 117.
- 2. The deadline for Defendants to answer or otherwise respond to the Amended Complaint is VACATED. *See* Dkt. No. 115. Defendants do not have to answer or otherwise respond to the Amended Complaint at this time. If withdrawal is allowed and replacement counsel subsequently appears, the deadline for Defendants to answer or otherwise respond to the Amended Complaint is 30 days after the appearance of replacement counsel.
- 2. All other case deadlines are VACATED as well. Dkt. No. 110. If Plaintiff's counsel is allowed to withdraw and replacement counsel appears, the case schedule and deadlines will be revisited at that time.

DATED this 9th day of September, 2025.

Kymberly K. Evanson
United States District Judge